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Sent: 9/6/2018 4:04:24 PM

To: David Steele [davidss@simginc.com]
CC: Strauss, Alexis [Strauss.Alexis@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Request for a meeting with the Regional Administrator

Dear Mr. Steele:

Unfortunately, Mike's schedule for the next two months is full. If an opening should happen, I will let you know. I have you on my list of pending request.

Regards,

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From: David Steele [mailto:davidss@simginc.com] **Sent:** Wednesday, September 5, 2018 4:47 PM

To: Miller, Amy <Miller.Amy@epa.gov> **Cc:** Strauss, Alexis <Strauss.Alexis@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Request for a meeting with the Regional Administrator

Amy, I am just checking in to see if any opportunities have opened up for the Waldens to meet with the Regional Administration?

Thanks.

David S. Steele 520.321.1111 - o

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On Aug 30, 2018, at 12:20 PM, Miller, Amy < Miller. Amy@epa.gov> wrote:

Thank you for your understanding. I will confer with him next week and see if we can find a time in his calendar for a meeting in California. His schedule is very full until November so I had really hoped to make it work out in Tucson in October.

Regards,

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From: David Steele [mailto:davidss@simginc.com]

Sent: Thursday, August 30, 2018 10:07 AM **To:** Miller, Amy <Miller.Amy@epa.gov>

Cc: Strauss, Alexis <<u>Strauss.Alexis@epa.gov</u>>; Johnson, Kathleen <<u>Johnson.Kathleen@epa.gov</u>>; Brush,

Jason <Brush.Jason@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Request for a meeting with the Regional Administrator

Amy, thanks for the heads up. That's too bad, though we certainly understand logistics. Nan and Dick have very strong connections in California and Santa Barbara County specifically and find themselves back and forth with some frequency. So if it helps, we can meet the Regional Administrators there or in San Francisco as options.

Nonetheless, Nan and Dick are looking forward to meeting with the Regional Administrator on Rosemont at his earliest convenience.

Thanks.

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On Aug 29, 2018, at 4:43 PM, Miller, Amy < Miller. Amy@epa.gov> wrote:

Dear David:

I apologize, but it looks like the Regional Administrator Mike Stoker will not be in Tucson on October 3. I am sorry if this has caused you and your organization any inconvenience. I will get back to you if we can schedule another time for you to meet with him.

Regards,

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From: David Steele [mailto:davidss@simginc.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 29, 2018 12:05 PM

To: Miller, Amy < Miller. Amy@epa.gov>

Cc: Strauss, Alexis < Strauss.Alexis@epa.gov >; Johnson, Kathleen < Johnson.Kathleen@epa.gov >; Brush, Jason < Brush.Jason@epa.gov > Subject: Re: Request for a meeting with the Regional Administrator

Amy, October 3 looks good on our end. It would be great for the regional administrator could come down to farm at say 9:00?

We have the day held.

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Sent from a mobile device, please excuse my typos

On Aug 28, 2018, at 16:06, Miller, Amy < Miller. Amy@epa.gov> wrote:

Dear Mr. Steele:

Thank you for reaching out to me concerning a meeting with Regional Administrator Mike Stoker. Mike and my colleagues Kathleen Johnson and Jason Brush will be in Tucson on October 3rd. Would you have time to meet with them on October 3rd? If this date works, we have some flexibility on timing, please let me know what would work best for you and your organization.

Regards,

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From: David Steele [mailto:davidss@simginc.com]

Sent: Tuesday, August 28, 2018 6:13 AM **To:** Miller, Amy < Miller, Amy @epa.gov>

Subject: Request for a meeting with the Regional Administrator

Ms. Miller, as a follow up to our conversation, I am writing on behalf of Farmers Investment Co/Green Valley Pecan to request a meeting with the Regional Administrator regarding the proposed Rosemont Mine.

FICO is the world's largest integrated grower and processor of pecans. They farm approximately 7,000-acres in the Santa Cruz River Valley and employees over 250 employees. FICO has longed been concerned about the impacts of the proposed mine to southern Arizona and specifically to their farm. Rosemont is proposing to pump high quality groundwater from production pumps near their farm and pump 22 miles to the mine site and use it to create potentially toxic mine waste.

Consequently, FICO feels it important that the Regional Administrator is aware of their concerns before he makes any decision on the project.

As we discussed, it would be great for him to visit the farm during his upcoming trip to Tucson so that he can get a firsthand view of the issues FICO is facing.

Feel free to let me know potential dates that will work.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

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